GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
TOURISM AND CULTURE
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3005
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SETTING UP OF NATIONAL TOURISM CO-ORDINATION BOARD
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Will the Minister of TOURISM AND CULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government have decided to set up a National Tourism Co-ordination Board for attaining 8 to 9 per cent GDP growth on a sustainable basis;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether some State Governments are not adhering to the guidelines, particularly with reference to the collection of taxes;

(d) if so, the details thereof alongwith the reaction of the Union Government thereto; and

(e) the time by which this board is likely to start functioning?

Answer

MINISTER OF TOURISM AND CULTURE (SHRI ANANTHKUMAR)

(a): No, Sir.

(b): Does not arise.

(c): The Department of Tourism, Govt. of India has not issued any guidelines for collection of taxes.

(d): Does not arise.

(e): Does not arise.